

2017 Lobbyist Registration Audit of Terry Carroll

FINDING(S)

Terry Carroll failed to timely register for his employer (See Registrations section).

EMPLOYER(S)

- TN State Employees Assn.

REGISTRATION(S)

Mr. Carroll registered as a lobbyist for one employer during 2017. Based on the audit documentation, Mr. Carroll was a direct employee of TN State Employees Assn. with duties that included lobbying during 2017. He was also registered as a lobbyist in 2016. Thus, the lobbyist had a continuing lobbying relationship with his employer. Therefore, the lobbyist should have registered within seven days of the commencement of the year which is January 8, 2017. Mr. Carroll did not register until January 23, 2017, 15 days late. Based on review of the Bureau of Ethics and Campaign Finance's lobbyist records, Mr. Carroll paid all registration fees

LOBBYING AGREEMENT(S)

Based on a review of the audit documentation provided by Mr. Carroll, he was a direct employee of the employer. The employer had no employment contract with the lobbyist employee. However, per statements of the lobbyist, his employer, and a review of his job description, it appears the terms of employment were within the statutes for lobbying activities including having no terms for contingency payments based on lobbying success.

FAMILY OR BUSINESS ARRANGEMENTS WITH PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Mr. Carroll reported he had no business or familial relationships with persons who were officials in the legislative branch or officials in the executive branch.

TRAINING

Based on review of the Bureau of Ethics and Campaign Finance's lobbyist records, Mr. Carroll completed his required lobbyist training for the 2017 registration year and paid all training fees.